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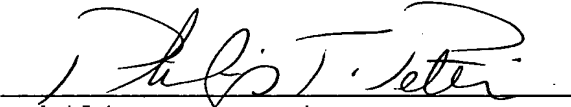
The above amendments to the specification have been made to conform the application with U.S. patent practice.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment. The page is captioned "VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE."

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 has been amended as follows:

1. A chain sprocket for roller [or bushing] chain drives, said sprocket having a sprocket center and teeth [(12)] spaced by seatings [(13)] for chain rollers, [or bushings characterized in that] at least some sprocket teeth have flank profiles differing from one another and disposed in an arrangement effective to reduce noise generated by meshing of the chain rollers with the sprocket, the flank profiles selected to maintain a constant spacing between the seatings and the sprocket center.

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